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Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington, D.C. 20231.

Sir,

Submitted herewith are 2 copies of the formal drawings of the present application. The formal drawings reflects the drawing changes required in Form PTO-948. It is respectfully requested that the drawings be approved and entered in the file of the application.

Response to the First Office Action Dated 04/21/97

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Amendment

Please amend independent claims 1, 12, 17 and their dependent claims, as follows :

Sub 17
1. (Second time amended) Authorising software, stored in a device or physically on a medium, [Software] for use on a computer which being made to meet an existing standard such that any software product(s) meeting said standard can be used thereon and without modification thereof ; said authorising software being for, when executed,